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FM AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

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INFO AMEMBASSY CARACAS

C O N F I D E N T I A L BOGOTA 7051

DEPT FOR S/NM AMBASSADOR VANCE

CARACAS FOR DEA

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNARCO

SUBJECT: INCREASED NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE

REF: BOGOTA 6668

WE HAVE LAEARNED FROM COL. JIMENEZ MENDOZA, THE CHIEF OF THE COMMUNICATIONS SECTION OF THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE THAT THE GENERAL STAFF HAS MADE A NEW STUDY OF OUR PENDING PROPOSAL FOR INCREASED NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE. JIMENEZ LEFT THE IMPRESSION THAT GENERAL LOMBANA (COMMANDER OF ARMED FORCES) HAD TAKEN THE STUDY WITH HIM FOR REVIEW WHEN HE DEPARTED ON LEAVE. JIMENEZ ADDED THAT WHAT WAS NEEDED NOW WAS A DECISION BY LOMBANA ON THE STUDY. JIMENEZ DECLINED TO GIVE US ANY FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE CONTENTS OF THE STUDY AT THIS TIME. WE INFER FROM WHAT JIMENEZ SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE MINISTRY HAS NOT LOST INTEREST IN REACHING AN AGREEMENT WITH US. LOMBBANA IS EXPECTED BACK IN HIS OFFICE AT THE MINISTRY ON JULY 19 AND HIS STAFF HAS ASSURED US THAT PRIORITY WOULD BE GIVEN TO MY REQUEST FOR AN APPOINTMENT WITH

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HIM AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME FOLLOWING HIS RETURN.

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